



SEVERE WEATHER BULLETIN #25A
FOR: SEVERE TROPICAL STORM "ULYSSES" (VAMCO)
TROPICAL CYCLONE: ALERT

ISSUED AT 5:00 AM, 13 November 2020
 (Valid for broadcast until the next bulletin to be issued at 11 AM today)

"ULYSSES" WEAKENS INTO A SEVERE TROPICAL STORM AS IT MOVES FURTHER AWAY FROM THE COUNTRY.

Hazards affecting land areas:

- **Strong winds:** "ULYSSES" and the surge of the Northeast Monsoon will continue bringing gusty conditions over Batanes, Babuyan Islands, Cordillera Administrative Region, Ilocos Region, Zambales, Bataan, and northern Occidental Mindoro including Lubang Island.
- **Heavy rainfall:**
 - **Until this afternoon, moderate to heavy with at times intense rains** will still be experienced over Batanes, Babuyan Islands, northern and eastern portions of mainland Cagayan, eastern portion of Isabela, Aurora, Nueva Vizcaya, Quirino, and Apayao. **Light to moderate with at times heavy rains** over Ilocos Region, the rest of Cordillera Administrative Region, the rest of Cagayan Valley, the northern portion of Quezon including Polillo Islands, Zambales, and Bataan.
- **Flooding (including flashfloods), rain-induced landslides, and sediment-laden streamflows (i.e. lahar) may occur during heavy or prolonged rainfall especially in areas that are highly or very highly susceptible to these hazards and/or those that received significant antecedent rainfall.** PAGASA Regional Services Divisions may issue local thunderstorm/rainfall advisories and heavy rainfall warnings while the Hydrometeorology Division and River Basin Flood Forecasting and Warning Centers may issue General Flood Advisories and Basin Flood Bulletins as appropriate.

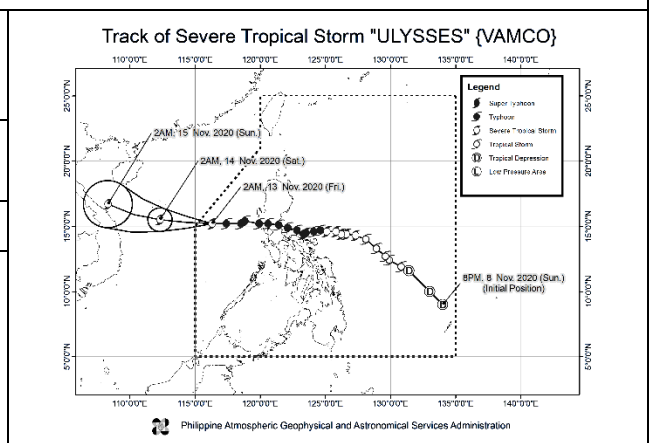
Hazards affecting coastal waters:

- Within the next 24 hours, the combined effects of "ULYSSES" and the surge of the Northeast Monsoon will bring rough to very rough seas (2.5 to 5.5 m) over the seaboards of Batanes, Babuyan Islands, Ilocos Norte, Ilocos Sur, La Union, Pangasinan, and Zambales, the northern seaboard of mainland Cagayan, and the western seaboards of Bataan, Batangas, Occidental Mindoro (including Lubang Island), and Palawan (including Calamian and Kalayaan Islands). **Sea travel is risky for all types of seacrafts over these waters.**
- Moderate to rough seas (2.0 to 3.5 m) will be experienced over the eastern seaboards of Luzon. Mariners of small seacrafts are advised to take precautionary measures when venturing out to sea. **Inexperienced mariners should avoid navigating in these conditions**

Track and intensity outlook:

"ULYSSES" is forecast to exit the Philippine Area of Responsibility this morning. It is likely to maintain its strength in the next 24 hours before eventually weakening into a severe tropical storm within the next 36 to 48 hours due to increasingly unfavorable conditions caused by the surge of the Northeast Monsoon.

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| Location of eye/center | At 4:00 AM today, the center of Severe Tropical Storm "ULYSSES" was estimated based on all available data at 415 km West of Iba, Zambales (15.2°N, 116.1°E) . |
| Strength | Maximum sustained winds of 110 km/h near the center and gustiness of up to 135 km/h . |
| Movement | Moving Westward at 20 km/h . |
| Forecast Positions | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 24 Hour (Tomorrow morning): 825 km West of Central Luzon (OUTSIDE PAR) (15.5°N, 112.3°E) • 48 Hour (Sunday morning): 1,285 km West of Northern Luzon (OUTSIDE PAR) (16.7°N, 108.3°E) |



NO TROPICAL CYCLONE WIND SIGNAL

The public and the disaster risk reduction and management council concerned are advised to take appropriate actions and watch for the next update to be incorporated in the 4 AM Public Weather Forecast and in the next Severe Weather Bulletin to be issued at 11 AM today.

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